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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: BRUCKER ET AL. Examiner: (JACKIE) TAN-UYEN HO  
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Title: BIFURCATED STENT AND DELIVERY SYSTEM

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the communication mailed December 28, 2008, the period of response being extended from March 28, 2008 to April 28, 2008.

Fees related to the submission of this paper are being charged to an authorized credit card in the amount of \$120 for a large entity.

Additionally, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees as set forth in §§ 38 CFR 1.16 to 1.18 which may be required for entry of these papers or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

Respectfully submitted,

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